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VIA ECF

Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis United States District Judge Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, NY 11201

> United States v. Raniere, et al., 18-cr-204 (NGG) Re:

Dear Judge Garaufis:

I write to request a temporary modification of Ms. Bronfman's bail conditions to allow her to accompany me on a trip to the Albany/Clifton Park area in the Northern District of New York on October 16-17, 2018, for purposes of conducting defense investigation in preparation for trial in the above-captioned case. The government has no objection to this request, and Pretrial Services takes no position. If Ms. Bronfman's request is approved, I will provide Pretrial Services with the specifics of our travel plans on those dates.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Kathleen E. Cassidy

AUSAs Moira Kim Penza, Tanya Hajjar (via ECF)

Pretrial Services Officer Anna Lee (via email)

S/ Nicholas G. Garaufis

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